1   State of Arkansas   *As Engrossed: S1/26/21*
2   93rd General Assembly   A Bill
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5   By: Senator Irvin
6   *By: Representative L. Johnson*

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8   **For An Act To Be Entitled**
9   AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE
10   CONCERNING THE ATTENDANCE OF THE COMMISSIONER AND THE
11   SECRETARY OF EDUCATION AT BOARD OR COMMISSION
12   MEETINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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25   SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-11-102, concerning the Commissioner of
26 Elementary and Secondary Education, is amended to add an additional
27 subsection to read as follows:
28   (g)(1) The commissioner may appoint a designee to appear on behalf of
29 the commissioner at a meeting of a board or commission of which the
30 commissioner is a member in his or her official capacity as commissioner.
31   (2) The designee of the commissioner may vote on behalf of the
32 commissioner.
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34   SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 25-43-503(d), concerning the Secretary of
35 the Department of Education, is amended to read as follows:
36   (d)(1) The secretary may delegate his or her functions, powers, and

1   duties to various divisions or employees of the department as he or she shall
2   deem desirable and necessary for the effective and efficient operation of the
3   department.
4   (2)(A) The secretary may appoint a designee to appear on behalf
5   of the secretary at a meeting of a board or commission of which the secretary
6   is a member in his or her official capacity as Secretary of Education.
7   (B) The designee of the secretary may vote on behalf of
8   the secretary.
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